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COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO MAY 12, 1998 FINAL
OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Communication is submitted in response to the Final Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on May 12, 1998 in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the May 12, 1998 Final Office Action was originally due August 12, 1998. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time. Applicants have previously established small-entity status. The required fee for a three month extension of time is \$475.00 and authorization is hereby given to charge this amount to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. Therefore, a response to the May 12, 1998 Office Action is now due November 12, 1998. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

REMARKS

Claims 93-96 and 98-101 are currently pending and under examination in the subject application.

Applicants acknowledge that the Examiner stated that the prior rejection of claim 93 under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated

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